

REMARKS

Claims 55 to 57 are allowed. All the claims have been cancelled as being directed to non-elected inventions.

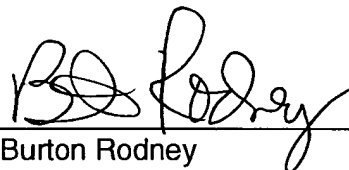
Claim 56, which depends from Claim 55, has been amended to delete " $R^4 = H$ " and change $(CH_2)_{2r}$ to $(CH_2)_2$.

R^4 is not present in the compounds of Claims 55 or 56 and therefore should be and is deleted.

In addition, in Claim 56, $(CH_2)_{2r}$ should be $(CH_2)_2$.

The above amendments do not involve new matter.

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